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Magistrate Judge James Larson U.S. District Court Northern District of California 450 Golden Gate Avenue, 15th Floor San Francisco, CA 94102 FRICHARD W. WIEKING GERK, U.S. DISTRICT COURT Wom HERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIC

Re:

Timothy Boehme v. Chomnan Loth, City of Newark Police Department, et al.

U.S. District Court, Northern District of California, No. C06-07419

Dear Judge Larson:

A Mandatory Settlement Conference is scheduled before you this coming Friday, September 28, 2007. I have just learned that the Officer named in the complaint, Chomnan Loth, has the opportunity to attend a SWAT training session and competition on behalf of the City of Newark Police Department's SWAT team, of which he is a member. I am writing to ask if Officer Loth can be excused from attending the Mandatory Settlement Conference. Mr. Terry Hickman will be appearing at the settlement conference on behalf of the City of Newark.

Thank you for any consideration that can be extended.

Very truly yours,

LOW, BALL & LYNCH

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U.S. CHIEF MAGISTRATE JUDGE

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